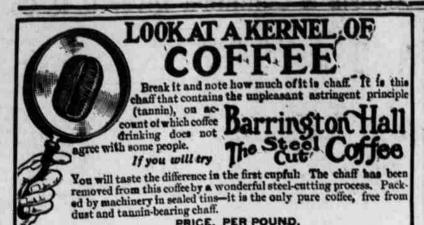
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### GANS GETS DECISION.

SEATTLE, July 23.-Joe Gans was Pleasant Beach tonight after an interrounds. Holly insisted on clinching re. tion of the treaty. pentedly, and used his weight to advantage. Gans has his opponent groggy in the last round, but could not put him

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# **PARLIAMENT**

**CONVENES** 

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sitated securing the consent of the Senate in each case when the subsequent agreement was being concluded.

Upon the initiative of American con-

gressmen the Interparliamentary Commission decided upon a plan to surgoods" stores, such as Arnold Constable's mount the difficulty. This plan is to tions to be arbitrated, so that the Senate can exercise its judgment when it Waring & Company, limited, shall be to ratifies the treaty. To prevent this specification from holding all nations back to the position occupied by the least progressive country, it was proposed that each nation could designate individually the classes of controversies in which it may be interested which shall calf this week issued an order that any when court adjourned. be transferred by the treaty from the battlefield to the precincts of the Intergiven the decision over Dave Holly at national Court, and to permit the addi- for important private business by pay- to him and the trial of Nickell proceed tion of other classes of controversies by esting battle that went the limit of 20 each nation, after the original ratifica-

In this way each nation can put the treaty into operation in a wider area, by its own act, between itself and all other nations which have previously desdesignate the same classes of questions outgoing call costs the government. And treaty. By this provision all nations can is not the wholly unreasonable being he its scope would be wider between the just about the fairest order ever issued

London Conference will be able to agree upon a plan for ascertaining the principles which nations ought hereafter observe in their conduct toward each other, and for deciding when a violation of accepted principles has taken place.

# BABY COVERED

Would Scratch and Tear the Flesh Unless Hands Were Tied-Wasted to a Skeleton-Awful Suffering for Over a Year-Grew Worse Under Doctors-Skin Now Clear.

WOULD HAVE DIED BUT FOR CUTICURA.

"My little son, when about a year and a half old, began to have sores come out on his face. I had a physician treathim,



came on his chest, worse than the others. Then I called another physician. Still he grew worse. At the end of about a year and a half of suffering he grew so bad I had to tie his hands

in cloths at night to keep him from scratching the sores and tearing the flesh. "He got to be a mere skeleton, and was hardly able to walk. My Aunt advised me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. So great was her faith in it that she gave me a small piece of Soap to try and a little of the Oint-ment. I took it home without any faith, but to please her I tried it, and

"I sent to the drug store and got a cake of the Soap and a box of the Ointment and followed the directions, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any sores of any kind since. "He is now strong and healthy, and I can sincerely say that only for your most wonderful remedies my precious child would have died from

# ARE ALLOWED USE HOGE ONLY FAKING

DEPARTMENT CLERKS NOT AL LOWED TO TELEPHONE EXCEPT ON MATTERS OF OFFICIAL BUSI-

OF TELEPHONES

ington. D. C., July 23 .- The story of a department clerks' troubles would fill many volumes, and then the half would not be told. The department clerk appears to labor under the detusion that his rights are as much entitled to be respected as are those of his bureau chief or a member of the Cabinet or of Con- Hoge sick or only feigning? gress; and, being an American citizen of lusty legs, he kicks and kicks hard But, then, the Maine senator is oldand very rich. A younger statesman.

the privilege of using the telephones in morrow. specify distinctly the classes of quest the outside nor answer friends calling sumption of his trial at 9:30 o'clock. naturally, they kicked.

employe of the Department of Coming toll at the rate of 23 cents a call, as though nothing had happened. Mr. The plan is to apply equally to all, ment's cases, after which he would rest. from the Secretary down to the char- With the exception of few facts to be woman-whoever wants to use the given by the four witnesses, the govofficial telephones for private business ernment finished Saturday. ignated or which might subsequently will have to pay the exact amount each as arbitrable under the terms of the just to show that the department clerk be parties to the same treaty, and yet has been painted, he has hailed this as by a department head touching the It seems likely, therefore, that the privileges of clerks. They are glad, they aver, to reimburse the government for the cost of telephoning, but they objected to being shut up like convicts and denied the privilege of communicating with the outside world. The plan is so eminently just that it is believed other department heads will follow the example of Mr. Metcalf.

TIRES OF HIS JOB.

TACOMA. July 23. - Quartermaster Dodds, of the Twenty-second Infantry, ocated at San Francisco, committed suicide today at American Lake, where Army maneuvers are in progress, by throwing himself into the lake. He left a note to his captain saying that he was tired of his job.

OREGON GETS TWO.

WASHINGTON, July 23 .- The Secretary of the Treasury today made public a list of national bank depositories for Panama canal bonds at \$103.50 and upwards, which includes Pendleton, Oregon. \$50,000, and Burns. Oregon, \$25,000. and Weiser, Idaho, \$50,000.

WATCHING THE BUILDERS.

Pire Insurance Folks Keep an Eye on Construction Methods. A builder speaking of the watchful

ness of fire insurance companies in New York city in the erection of buildings in that city says:

"Insurance companies in placing policles upon so called fireproof buildings says a correspondent of the Country do not accept the word of the builders Gentleman (English), by a story of a and contractors, nor rest content with talking elephant who fed upon chilthe evidence submitted by the city dren. He met a woman laden with an building department. Their own ex- ax and bundle of fagots, accompanied perts make an examination. Such an by her child. Seeing the elephant, she examination is made not at the behest guessed his intention and pleaded, of politicians or in the interest of a "Spare my child, oh, elephant!" The group of men, but by technical experts elephant refused. "Then," said the whose reports must be exact, detailed mother, "if this evil must happen and exhanstive in the interests of swallow me, too, oh, elephant!" So the shrewd business men. The insurance elephant swallowed mother and child, underwriters have their own corps of and they found themselves with all the expert engineers and fireproof agents other children who were eaten prein the field all of the time. When a viously. By and by the child grew hunlarge building is in course of con- gry, and the mother lit a fire with her struction in New York these experts of fagots. She then with her ax cut away the underwriters watch every stage of the elephant's flesh, cooked it, and they the development. They have no power all atc. As the fire burned, its great to stop work on the building as city heat filled the elephant with pain, and building inspectors have when the he ran and ran and ran till they felt building laws are not complied with. the thunder of his hoofs racing over but they possess another sort of check hill and valley. At length, exhausted, which is fully as effectual. The build he dropped down dead. Using her ax, ers, contractors or owners, or all three. the mother chopped and chopped until are notified that further insurance poli she made an opening in the elephant's cies will not be made on the buildin side. After this they crept out and be-until certain remedies are made."- came a new nation in a new country. Pittsburg Press.

Defendant in Land Fraud Case

Feigns Illness.

WANTS TO ESCAPE A TRIAL

ASTORIAN NEWS BUREAU. Wash- Proceedings in Federal Court in Portland Stopped in Hoge's Case, Until the Defendant Can Appear in Court.

PORTLAND, July 23,-Is Martin G.

All unexpectedly this morning the case against him and Charles Nickell, in the when he feels some one stepping on his Federal Court, came to a stop by word toes. Senator Hale placed all department that Hoge was lying in bed in a North clerks in one class, and that one class. End rooming house nigh unto death and he insisted was a class of mendicants. in a comatose condition. A recess was taken to investigate his case. Word came back in the testimony of Dr. K. A. with ambitions before him, would not J. Mackenzie that the man who has alhave dared say so much, for the average ready delayed his trial two days on a department clerk is a good deal of a plea of sickness was only shamming illness, while Judge Thomas O'Day, his Early in the present year an execu-counsel, declared in open court that he tive order was issued denying clerks expected his client to be dead by to-

the departments, except for official busi- An order was then entered by Judge ness. They could neither call friends on Hunt, directing Hoge to appear for rethem. Division chiefs, bureau chiefs, and unless he was said by Dr. Duckenzie to officials on up the scale used the 'phone be unable and Special Assistant Attorwhenever and for whatever they pleased, ney-General Heney gave notice that unand naturally the clerks felt there was less he were taken to St. Vincent's Hosunfair discrimination. And just as pital and Dr. Mackenzie appeared and gave such testimony and Hoge did not And now the kick has borne fruit, in appear he would ask for an order forat least one department. Secretary Met- feiting his bail. Thus matters stood

Should Hoge be unable to appear for merce and Labor could use the 'phone further trial, the case may be dropped as and incoming calls could be answered. Hency this morning intended to call four so long as the privilege was not abused. additional witnesses to finish the Govern-

AN ECHO.

flow to Measure the Distance From Which It Is Reflected.

There is scarcely anything in nature that exerts the fascination over every one alike than does an echo, and common as it may become there is always a feeling of mystery about it that holds us as with a charm. Of course we all know that it is merely the reflection of a sound from some object, as the side of a house or a rock or a hill, but often we cannot tell how far away the object is that causes it. Here is a way to tell every time:

Holding a watch in your hand, should a single syllable, as "Ho!" or "Ha!" and count the number of seconds from the time you shout till the sound comes back to you. Now, sound travels at the rate of 1,125 feet a second, so the number of seconds that elapse multiplied by 1,125 will give the distance in feet traveled by the voice in going to the object and back to you again, and one-half of that number will be the number of feet away that object is, Of course the object may be only a few hundred feet away, in which case the sound will come back in less than a second, but you may determine the distance, nevertheless, by calling a single syllable-"Ha!"-and calling it again as you hear the echo, not before

or after it, but just with it. With a little practice you can do this. Repeat the call ten or twelve times counting the seconds between the first call and the last echo. Suppose, for example, that the time is seven seconds and that you called the syllable ten times. Then each echo took seventenths of a second, and the distance, found in the same way as before, is about 394 feet.-Exchange.

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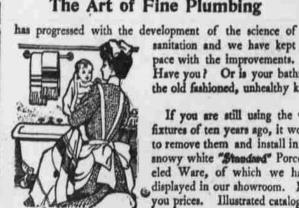
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